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Subject: Staff thanks and pride!

Please share this with the entire staff:

I could not be more proud to be the Mayor of our town, having seen how our staff has stepped up to accomplish things that seemed impossible during this trying time! I have always been a fan of each and every one of you, for the quality, quantity, and creativity of work that you do for our community, but you've all exceeded even my expectations!

For the second time in my tenure as Mayor of this wonderful town, I believe we are about to be challenged by a "new normal." Where we get our revenue, how we conduct the Town's business, and what we consider essential services will all change in the next year, due to numerous changes brought on by this extraordinary episode in our history. I could not be more confident to go into that future if I had hand picked each of you for the job!

Thank you for your hard work, your adaptability and creativity, and your willingness to keep our doors open in trying circumstances. The citizens of Clarkdale are lucky to have you all working for them, and rest assured I will sing your praises with every opportunity!

Thanks so much for all you do for Clarkdale,

## Doug



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